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Enclosed please find the following:

1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of September 18, 2001 for serial number 09/920,392;
2. Executed Combined Declaration And Power of Attorney In Original Application;
3. Our check in the amount of \$83.00 (\$18.00 for additional claim fees; \$65 for surcharge fee for the late filing);
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In view of the above submissions, the Applicant submits that the above-identified application is now complete and respectfully requests that the application be passed to examination.

The Office is requested to contact the undersigned if there are any issues regarding this Response.

Respectfully submitted,

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$18.
  - \$18 for 6 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 83.

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